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燕大新董事會議決

主席仍由孔祥熙擔任

並討論修改憲章等問題

燕大新校董會昨午在校務長住宅舉行本年度首次集會，到周貽春，陸志韋，司徒雷登等十餘人。議決前由校董會主席孔祥熙繼任主席，顏惠慶及周貽春氏爲副主席，寇潤鳳氏爲秘書。對於該校憲章修改問題，亦作長時之討論。並決定一委員會，對此問題詳加研究，將於下屆董事會報告其研究之結果。

出席人員

司徒雷登，前校長周貽春，寇潤鳳，全紹文，陶芳蘭，陳崇壽夫人，艾德敷，凌其峻夫人。

新董事會

周貽春，秘書寇潤鳳，白士德，陳崇壽夫人，全紹文，艾德敷，來儀庭，黃榮良，寇饒司，凌其峻夫人，孫科，王正鵬夫人，王錫燾。

舊董事會

紹文，陶芳蘭，艾德敷，赫約芳，凌其峻夫人，羅遇唐，樂嘉立，桑美德女士，司徒月蘭女士，司徒雷登，蔡一謨，朱友漁夫人，周貽春，王錫燾，王文顯夫人，顏惠慶。

五大冬季球類賽

第六週燕清會戰結果

女子籃球勝清華
男子部全軍覆沒

五大學球賽第六週燕京會戰清華的結果，燕京除女子籃球外，男子部全軍覆沒，可云慘矣。

女籃：休息兩週以後，星期六(八日)下午全體動員到清

是謂進步的。燕大隊除後衛陳堯堯華慶外，其餘隊員均無精彩表演，精神固好，但球藝不如人，奈之何！總結果二十七比十五，燕大敗。

拔河：有希望的燕大隊，在河隊也屈服。成績四分。

韓慶濂調查完畢

四十八校各有所長
保定同仁中學最好

最近三四年來，國內社會人士，對燕京大學的成績，莫不稱譽，因此各省的學生肄業於該校者，也日見增多。該校爲明瞭該校所辦的中學情形起見，於上月十五日便派該校招生主任韓慶濂先生赴各地去調查。韓氏在前天(八日)已經安全的回校了。據他說：這次所調查的中學，在天津有六個，唐山有三個，山海關有一個，昌黎有一個，保定有八個，彰德有二個，鄭州有一個，開封有八個，徐州有四個，濟南有一個，濰縣有一個，青島有七個，一共有四十八個。一個，設備和學風方面，從韓氏所得的觀察，大都是很好，同時那些中學對自然科學職業教育，都非常的注重。尤其燕大一九二三年教育系畢業生楊繼宗先生在保定所辦的同仁中學，師生的合作精神，正如燕大的精神一樣，極可欽佩之至。韓氏除做以上的調查之外，還拜訪了許多散在各處的燕大校友。他對那些校友在社會上服務的努力精神，俱有很好的印象。

齊大校長問題

梅貽寶允明春答覆

司徒雷登將赴齊大協助改組

燕大前教務長梅貽寶先生，最近被濟南齊魯大學校董會聘爲校長，大略情形已誌本報，昨日乘氏來校之便，記者去訪問梅氏關於此事之意見，據梅氏云本年內絕難兼顧。齊大方面代表聲稱該校對於鄉村教育，正擬充分發展，亦切實須要一熱心而有經驗者的領袖主持一切，蓋梅氏對於此種教育，本俱興趣，故允再事考慮，至明年一月間再作正式答覆。目前齊大校長一職，由山東鹽運使李植藩氏暫代。梅氏表示對於齊大校務之改革頗爲關心，氏相信齊大種種行政問題解決後，該校工作定能向前發展。(又訊)校務長司徒雷登今晨否認昨日某報所登載其將赴濟南協助齊大改組該校鄉村教育課程之說。司徒氏考究此消息之來源，係數年前齊大當局中有人主張該校主辦鄉村教育。兼之此次燕大前教務主任梅貽寶氏又被齊大校董會聘爲校長，故外間有以上之傳說。

今年越野賽跑路徑

起點終點均在清華

同時決定將舉行兵兵演賽

五大學越野賽決定於本月二十三日舉行。路程本定穿過圓明園，可是上星期日，在五大學聯會常會中，又通過黃國安之提議，就是仍用去年的路線，由清華西校門起步，向西繞達子花園經燕京大學，過西橋進清華西校門，以體育館爲終點，全路程約長五千米。此外又議決當賽跑時，路上不得有自行車隨行，跑時除裁判員外，各校須派檢查員二名。

另訊：在足籃球季終了，春季運動未起之時，五大學體育會又預備發起乒乓球賽。是表演性質的比賽。分爲單打，雙打和男女混合雙打三項。這提案是星期日上午在北大開會時通過的，最近就要執行。女校體育會的乒乓球賽就要開始，據陳梅女士說，這次公開賽是選拔代表的意思。

燕大日曆

今年的大一
有五點與去年不同

去年的一年級生和今年的大一，這是有着很大的不同之處，這是輔導課主任夏雲先生，當記者訪問他對今年一年級生的印象時所說的話。夏氏覺得這不同之處，第一是：本年一年級生的團結力和團體精神非常的好。我們祇要看他們的所做種種活動，

由陳翰伯負責，女生由王若蘭負責。(二)參觀平津報館事，日期費用等問題由蔣蔭恩負責進行。(三)排演遊藝會，由本星期六系際遊藝會，由已有人負責籌劃。(四)體育股籌備聯歡大會，遊藝茶點等由歐陽頤，方紀負責，日期定下星期四(二十號)晚七時起在女校體育館舉行。(五)交際股長王安福離校，由候補柯士添充任。

賑濟會分別救濟

燕大附近貧民多
賑濟會分別救濟

燕大賑濟會近得貝女士報告，謂附近寒苦待賑者數約三四百家，一爲九一八後自關外遷來者，近由海甸某教堂牧師代賃陋住所，每月租金五角。其子在清華工作每日祇得一毛五進款。另一家爲一夫一婦及子女五人，該人能寫，會事廚房掌灶，近因病不能作事，故每日之進款無形減落，其子女在頤和園採棉花，每日祇得工錢一毛五，一日三餐亦減至一餐，以後生活殊難維持，該賑濟會自報告後，已贈彼等米麵及煤球若干，且借給每家五元，俾作小本營生，並在東南校門外及東大地等處，設暖室以備彼等取暖云。

新聞學會幹事會

議決籌備聯歡會

下星期四舉行

新聞學會幹事會，昨晚八時在該系課室開會，黃適需主席，到有孫明信，王若蘭，方紀，祁敏，歐陽頤等幹事。議決案(一)即日起加緊徵收會費，男生

燕大日曆

星期三 十二月十二日
上午八時五十分：寧德樓禮拜，謝迪克先生主領
同 上：聖人樓禮拜，韓立亭先生主領
星期四 十二月十三日
上午八時五十分：寧德樓禮拜，寧德明先生主領
同 上：聖人樓禮拜，李瑞德先生主領
下午六時四十五分：燕大歌詠隊，大禮堂
下午七時：新聞學會，臨湖軒

公眾論壇

本壇讓出這些小的地方，專為發表燕大公眾的議論，關於論壇的稿件取選，編者以為，凡是態度光明，不存偏見而體材切於目前情勢者，都將一律刊登。當然，題目也並不是沒有範圍的。我們所歡迎的是：與燕大這個小社會裏的公眾問題直接間接有關係的討論，此外應該聲明一句，來稿一律文責自負。

燕大學生的「苛捐雜稅」

七五

開學以來，娛樂方面的活動，一天似乎熱鬧一天。例如：國劇社的公演，醫預同學的話劇，中國旅行團的「梅蘿香」……等。這本來是一種很好的現象，尤其是對燕大的學生。因為燕大是有名功課認真，有種的娛樂，讓我們暫時離開煩悶的書本，來開開心，真是一件樂事。

不過，以我個人的觀察，這一學期來的娛樂，未免深染了商業化的色彩。就是太注重「賺錢」了。如果我們把每次入場券的價目來檢討一下，不難看出這種現象來。每次票價平均總在五角至一元之間。不管是不是捐款性質，票價總要提得高高的。有時比正式戲院裏的票價還要超出。以為價錢不高，不顯得東西好似的。同時交了錢，貨好不好是另一問題，也無從追問。

一元半塊的票價，在鬧得煩了的小公子小姐們看來，也許不算什麼一回事。可是對我們大部份的一小百姓，則視同軍閥統治下的「苛捐雜稅」了。因為你給不起錢，就沒有資格來享受娛樂的利益。

我以為今後的娛樂，應以能惠及大多數同學的利益為前提。換言之，就是要使娛樂普遍化。不是為賺錢為少數人的利益！

我們能多待為同學服務性質(即分文不取)的娛樂最好。不過有很多種娛樂，是要用本錢才租得來的。例如電影及這次中國旅行團的公演等。所以也應該收點費用。可是收費的時候，應祇限於彌補用費的數目上，來作收費的目的。不應順口開價，沒有標準。

燕京大學庶務課啟事

本校校務長住宅東面以及女生宿舍門前道路非常狹隘往來通行人力車甚屬不便務希本校同人乘車時切勿穿行以免危險是幸

新聞學系第二次師生大會定於十二月十三日(星期四)下午七時假臨湖軒舉行，凡本會會員均須到場參加討論此啟

新聞學會啟

物失尋招

鄙人於五日晚在末名湖邊失落英文貨幣學散頁筆記及毛邊紙印刷講義數十張因致試在即需用孔急如有 仁人君子拾得乞即便交一樓齋夫無任感激之至

失主白

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燕大東門內
最新種類繁多
歡迎燕京人士駕臨參觀

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你要做女鹿皮大衣嗎

茲有友人托售深綠色之冲鹿皮三大張，除做女式短大衣一件外，尚有兩付手套之餘料。美觀耐用，不亞舶來品，而價之廉，則遠過之。貨色全新，三張原價十二元，現願八折出售，欲購者請至姊妹樓齋夫處看貨可也。

要吃的可口東西

蘇省
春香稻

西路內門北場市安東設開
號六十七百九千一局東話電

陸稿
廣東臘腸
醬雞醬鴨
油雞烤鴨
生熟火腿
紅燜汁肉

每日有專人向燕京輸送

貨物新鮮價錢格外克己

愛讀本報諸君注意

燕京新聞為燕大社區內之惟一新聞紙。自發刊以來，倍蒙燕大人仕愛護，只因篇幅過小，不能滿足讀者，現應各方要求，決於十二月一日，先將英文版增至四版，而報價亦同時減低，諸君若以之增舊友新交，實無上之聖誕禮品也。

自十二月一日起至翌年暑假止，共六月餘，僅作一學期計算。

新訂價目	
本校	中英合訂——一元二毛五 或英文——一元
外埠	中英合訂——一元五毛 或英文——一元二毛五
國外	英文——三元

燕京新聞啟

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冬季大減價三十天

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冬至禮物
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津中公司

大陸銀行

儲蓄部
提倡社會儲蓄
定期儲蓄

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學生自治會籌委會 進行組織各學系會

調查工作已告完成
將召集各系之系會

燕大學生自治會籌委會，自通過公布以後，該會籌備委員會，就開始進行第二步工作，進行組織各學系會。一面調查校內現有學系組織情形，一面計劃如何召集各系學系會。並成立學系會組織。現在調查工作已告完成，日內就要進行組織工作。聽說燕大有幾個學系會本年並設有開會，所以籌委會打算找幾個適當的時間分別召集各系同學，催促他們再選新職員，以便以後輔助學生自治會的選舉事項。再者，籌委會因在草製會章的時候，收到很多的意見，對於學生自治會的組織和行政都有相當重要，却又是在會章中不便列入的，所以打算特別彙集，準備交給將來新代表大會斟酌採用。據該會負責人說，這類建議還在徵求同學的意見。以求有利於學生自治會前途。

熊佛西在燕大講

農村戲劇運動與中國文化前途

熊氏謂此次赴鄉間在改變作風
並觀察農民能否接受其作品

「熊先生除了寫作以外，還有表演的天才」，這是燕大師生大會籌委會，在介紹本月十一日師生全體大會的講員現任定縣平民教育促進會戲劇股主任熊佛西氏時說的兩句話。果然熊氏的風度，滑稽異常，他戴着一頂中國老百姓戴的毡帽，步登講台，招得全堂人衆，轟然大笑。氏在介紹他的講題「農村戲劇運動與中國文化的前途」的時候，就說這是個堂皇偉大的題目。他說他到鄉下作戲劇運動，完全是自私自利，他覺得自己能力薄弱，自私自利而不暇，不配談救國救民，因為不善於描寫都市生活，對戀愛也沒有經驗，寫愛情作品也寫不好，所以到鄉下試試，希望「得一點點工作」，他說他想學學時髦，寫寫農民生活，看看鄉下人的窩窩頭，茅屋草舍，試試自己能不能在鄉下工作，他說他下鄉的第二目的，是要沽名釣譽，因為他過去的戲劇作品，都沒有出了都市之門，現在是大眾文藝運動的時候，過去的那些，都不時髦了。該來個奇異的標榜了，要標榜農村戲劇，來滿足他的好奇心。下鄉去看看，得點印象，等到藝術興趣衝動的時候寫出來，再來試試，作戲劇最要緊是抓住觀眾，觀眾比作者的老爺還重要，無論寫的如何漂亮，若觀眾不捧場，就拿不起帽子走，要求退還，那算白寫。所以他到鄉下，是拿農民作試驗，試試他的作品能不能拿到鄉下去，拿農民來作試驗，該當何罪！他又說他到鄉下以後所寫出來「屠戶」，在定縣演戲的時候，有人從四十里外來聽，當晚還要回去，往返八

燕清兩校的實力測驗

一年級男女生對抗

燕京清華兩校，在體育上的連絡，真是不可不說。結果燕京隊以十二與六之比戰勝了清華的「新人隊」。

近日來燕京清華兩校，在體育上的連絡，真是不可不說。結果燕京隊以十二與六之比戰勝了清華的「新人隊」。聽說大三的體育代表也在商議向清華的大三級接洽作友誼比賽，大約不久也可實現了。

拔河：燕大一年的拔河的，不費吹灰之力，以一分十五秒的時間，就把清華隊拉過中線。觀眾的不滿是「清華太弱，沒有意思」，所以十個有倒九個喊「清華加油」。

足球：足球清華以三比一大勝。清華優

圖書館素描

館裏充滿了情侶
女校園冷落清靜

燕京的學生是最喜歡到圖書館去的，晚上若遲到一點，位置就全都坐滿了。要是館門是玻璃做的話，我真有點心門不開時要像七號晚看梅蘿香一樣，會打破兩塊玻璃！

在圖書裏，藏着不少「情書」，有些抱着大本的百科全書來看；有些擺了無數的書在面前，東張西望；有些握着毛筆，望着天花

學生總數的比較

去年人數最多

燕大招收學生，向係注重於質的提高，而不在量的增加，所以一切教學與宿舍之設備，都以八百名為最多目標，其中男生約占三分之二，計五百五十名，女生則為二百五十名。最近五來年，每年註冊課所報告之在校學生總數，都在八百名左右，本年註冊學生人數共計為八百名，與本校定額適相符合。茲將自十七年至現在，每年男女生人數統計附錄於後，亦一有與之比較也。

年	男	女	共
十七年	五五〇	一五〇	七〇〇
十八年	五五八	一八九	七四七
十九年	五七九	二九八	八七八
二十年	五七八	二三八	八八八
廿一年	五八二	二六八	八八〇
廿二年	五六〇	二五五	八一五
廿三年	五五一	二四九	八〇〇

昨晚時事座談會 討論中日外交關係

陳博士先生主講

在燕大新聞學系教授「社論」和「採訪及編輯」的北平晨報社社長陳博士先生，昨晚在百忙中抽暇參加時事座談會討論「中日問題」。先由高玉香女士張兆慶君報告一週來國內外大事，然後由會員提出問題。昨晚所談的計有：1. 九一八以後日本外交政策的轉變；2. 日本對華基本政策；3. 中國對日外交的正當途徑；又談到日本宣佈廢棄海約後的國際影響，內蒙古問題，和西南與中央的關係。最後該會推定下次由陸錫麟徐燦芬二君分別擔任報告，就散會了。

本年學生分院統計

本年燕大各年級學生總計八百人，男五百五十八人，女二百四十二人。一、二、三、四、五、六、七、八、九、十、十一、十二、計共一百一十人。佔大多數。最低年齡為十六歲，最高年齡為四十三歲。女生最高年齡為四十三歲。

女校教職員會議

女校教職員會議，將在星期三下午四時半，在女部主任桑美德女士住宅舉行，並將對於女校游泳池完成問題，有所討論云。

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適樓上

「適樓上」一角，兩面氣的大窗戶。這間屋子的面積是和普通的課室一樣大，並且在這門外也沒有字樣表示出這是一個圖書閱覽室；在走廊上走起來就絕不會想到它不是一個圖書閱覽室。因此，常常有許多學生，甚至女生，來了燕京半年還不知道有這麼一個女生圖書館。

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Han Finds Good Spirit Among Yenta Graduates

Admissions Secretary Returns From Visiting 48 Middle Schools for Office

After visiting forty-eight middle schools in twelve different localities within Hopei, Honan, Shantung and Anhwei provinces, Mr. Han Ch'ing-lien, Admissions Secretary of the Office of the Director of Studies, returned to the University last Saturday. To investigate the actual conditions in those middle schools which in recent years have had an increasing number of students entering Yenching, Mr. Han started his tour in the middle of last month.

Aside from qualified middle schools, the Office of the Director of Studies has little information about non-qualified government schools, said Mr. Han; but since Yenching has become more popular in recent years and the number of students who come from those schools or take entrance examinations are increasing, the University therefore has to understand them as well as the qualified schools. The present investigation is intended to help the office in determining the admission of students who come from those schools, according to Mr. Han.

As a whole the spirit as well as the equipment of the schools visited is quite desirable, continued Mr. Han. Tung Jen Middle School, headed by Mr. Young Chi-chung, who majored in education in the University and was graduated in 1923, is one of the outstanding middle schools in Paoting. The students and teachers of this school treat each other as partners and create a school life for mutual interests. Han described it as the "Yenching Spirit." Generally, the middle schools which Han visited have paid more attention to natural sciences and vocational education than to literature.

During his tour he visited a number of Yenching alumni and was impressed by their work and spirit.

Kung Continues as Head of Yenta Board of Managers

The new board of managers met yesterday afternoon at the president's house and confirmed the nomination of the old board for Dr. H. H. Kung as chairman and Dr. W. W. Yen as vice-chairman. Dr. Y. T. Tsur was chosen second vice-chairman, and Mr. R. M. Cross was elected secretary.

The remainder of the time was devoted to making the necessary constitutional changes and appointing a sub-committee to complete the revision and present the documents in finished form at the next meeting of the board.

Those present were W. F. Dawson, (acting for H. Baxter) Mrs. Ch'en Ch'ung-shou, S. J. Ch'uan, Mrs. C. C. Lin, R. M. Cross, D. W. Edwards, W. H. Gleysteen, and O. J. Krause. The president, chancellor, and dean of the college for women attended as officers of the University.

Women Athletes to Hold Sports Week, 5-U League Adds Pingpong to Games

A "Queen" whose title is still under consideration, will be elected when the department of physical education for women will hold a "Sports week" March 17-23, this year, according to Miss Chen Yueh-mei, Director.

While "Sports week" is simply another name for the "Health Week" held last spring, the one this year will be more extensive and will emphasize more on special rather than general ability. The program will include track-and-field, games, dancing, awarding of prizes, social events, etc. A "Queen" of a certain kind will be elected. A suitable title is still being considered to avoid misunderstanding, said Miss Chen. Last spring the title "Posture Queen" was misunderstood as "Health Queen" and created dissatisfaction from a certain group of people. This all must be avoided this year.

The department is cooperating with the Girls' Sports Club in preparing for the event.

To meet the need for turning out competent ping-pong players next spring when ping-pong will be included in the 5-U League matches as an exhibition, the department is going to hold an open tournament for the girls sometime next week. A cup is being prepared on which the names of the champions will be inscribed annually. A ping-pong exhibition match is planned for sometime in February when both men and women students may join for singles, doubles, and mixed doubles.

Another cup will be given annually to the best girl hiker. She can score five points for every three miles in each hike on foot, four points on bicycle, and three points on donkey back. A limit of twenty points is set for each hike. Beyond that limit the hike is considered for pleasure's sake, and no points are to be given.

Yenta Relief Federation Aids Poor Families Near Yenching Community Area

After the invasion of Manchuria by the Japanese, mother and son migrated south. The pastor of the Haitien Church found a house and work for them when they came here. Their room is furniture-less, dark and damp, containing only several broken utensils borrowed from the landlord. Rent is 50 cents per month, and the son's casual work at Tsinghua earns but 80 coppers a day or about 15 cents.

This was the story told by Miss Dora Bent to the faculty members during the meeting of the Community Chest Committee recently concerning the kind of cases dealt with by the Yenta Relief Federation, which asked for \$200 from the chest fund this year.

Another story concerned a man, his wife and five children, the eldest of whom is 15 years old. The man can read and write, had done some teaching, and was for some years a cook. He burned his hand, lost his job, and since then has had to be content with casual work. A few weeks ago he fell ill, and the family income fell to about 15 cents a day which two of his children earned by picking cotton in the Yuan Ming Yuan. One meal a day of sweet potatoes was all the food the family could afford.

When the Yenta Relief Federation learned of this case it provided the family with some *pan-tse-mien* and 100 *chin* of coal balls, as winter was closing in. The Federation also lent the man \$5.00 as capital to set up a stall selling peanuts, persimmons, candies, etc. Since then the daily income has increased markedly, Miss Bent reports.

The three ricksha shacks at the East Gate, East Compound Gate and the South Gate to protect the ricksha men from the cold were erected by the Relief Federation.

Y. P. Mei Considers Offer of Cheeloo U.

Yenching Director of Studies May Become President of Shantung University

Although he has not accepted the position of president of Cheeloo University which was offered to him recently by the Cheeloo board of directors, Dr. Y. P. Mei is considering the offer in relation to his activities after the present academic year.

As he is at present serving as acting principal of the Oberlin Memorial School in Taiku, Shansi, and hopes to spend the last few months of his present year's leave of absence in studying rural reconstruction work in Kiangsi and Kuangsi provinces, Dr. Mei told Cheeloo representatives in Tsinan last Friday that he could not consider taking the position at any time during this year.

The board then approached him about accepting the presidency later on, emphasizing that Cheeloo is committed to more and more training for rural leadership according to the plan of the China Christian Educational Council. Since this is the subject in which Dr. Mei is most interested, he says that he promised to consider Cheeloo's offer and give a definite answer by February 1935.

Mr. Li Chih-fan, commissioner of the Shantung salt gabelle, has agreed to act as president of Cheeloo in the meantime.

Dr. Mei stated that he was much impressed by the new spirit shown by the Cheeloo board and their anxiety to get their house in order so as to clear up the present administrative difficulties. He emphasized that if he accepted the presidency of Cheeloo it would be only after their internal complications had been settled and he could be assured that the way would be clear for a unified and constructive development of the school's educational program.

Stuart Denies He Was Asked to Reorganize Cheeloo Univ.

President J. Leighton Stuart this morning denied the report carried yesterday by a vernacular daily that he had been called to Tsinan to reorganize Cheeloo University along lines which would emphasize training for rural work.

He said that the only possible basis for this report was the fact that for some years the controlling authorities of Cheeloo have insisted on ruralizing the institution and that after the recent election of Dr. Y. P. Mei as president—largely, no doubt, because of his interest in this movement—representatives of Cheeloo's board of directors came here to urge Dr. Stuart to support their choice, even though they realized that Dr. Mei's going to Tsinan would mean a very serious loss to Yenching.

Yenta Calendar

Tonight

Tuesday, December 11th

8:00 p.m. Faculty Discussion Group—
"The silver problem in China"

President's House

Tomorrow:

Wednesday, December 12th

8:50 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Mr. H. E. Shadick
Sage Chapel: Mr. Oliver Hanson

Thursday, December 13th

8:50 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Dr. Clara Nutting
Sage Chapel: Mr. R. H. Ritter

6:45 p.m. Yenta Chorus
7:00 p.m. Second Journalism Assembly

Sage Hall
President's House

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THE INWARD I

The most serious blow I've ever had to my hopes for the establishment of a cooperative commonwealth was the failure of a *He Tso Shih* in Yenching some years ago. If a community like this can't be socialistic to such a limited extent even, what chance is there for a general system based upon production and distribution for use rather than for profit?

Can't We Cooperate Successfully?

It is common to attribute that failure to management. I don't believe the major fault lay there. Such a scheme was impossible when every customer was dead set upon having his or her own preferred brand of coffee, soap, and whatnot, and when isolated individuals could not see that merchants would undersell such a cooperative store, even at a loss, for a year or two in order to bring about its collapse.

Another serious difficulty was the inability to buy at really wholesale prices from any concern in North China. The wholesalers were also "agin" socialism, so that it would have been necessary to import foreign supplies directly and to order in quantity from producers in the case of native goods. The staff, most of whom were giving their time to the undertaking, could not assume such work. So we continue to pay through the nose for everything we buy.

Campus Ought to be a Laboratory

While a general store presents complex problems, it seems astonishing to me that we continue year after year to pay retail prices for coal of all kinds. The Power House buys in enormous quantities so that it would seem only to be necessary for it to order enough additional supply to take care of private needs. Our individual orders could be weighed up on the large scales in the power house yard and we could be sure we get what we pay for without having to spend an afternoon at intervals all through the winter supervising a yard-arm's use. It would seem that this and other undertakings would provide excellent opportunities for laboratory experience in certain courses in economics. Our university set-up, as a whole seems to me insufficiently practical.

Pure Research Dominates Us All

In this respect, the department of economics is no more reprehensible than many others. One

of our most widely known scholars has catalogued almost 20,000 Chinese insects. Meanwhile just one of the twenty thousand makes it impossible for us to raise edible grapes. The dining hall situations are a "hot poker" to the department of home economics, and so on.

With general publications such as ours eager for more news and feature content, each enterprise must have its own little publication and will not even avail themselves of the eager willingness of the department of journalism to advise and help them in the preparation and production of more effective organs. Such cooperation would not only give them better publications but supply our students with opportunities for varied, genuine laboratory experience.

The Cloister Tradition Lingers Long

Why shouldn't the vexing problems of student self-government be dealt with as laboratory material by the department of political science? Without such cooperation, our student activities, as in most universities throughout the world, will continue each year to "manufacture" a new crop of old-style politicians.

The department of physics is a hopeful exception to the general rule in the practical community service which it renders in its laboratory work in radio and photography. Almost every other department could have a similar "service bureau" for dealing with community problems in its field in which students could relate their theory to practical affairs and form the essential habit of application of knowledge to concrete situations.

All Our Beggings in One Ask-it?

Finally, take a look at our Community Chest. The theory of such an organization is that one solicitation per year should be sufficient. Actually it is not. Contributors know that other appeals will follow along in due course and scale their subscriptions to the Chest accordingly. We cannot even be truly cooperative in our charities and community-welfare undertakings.

That mess will not be cleared up by any administrative control

of solicitations. We shall get a sensible method of handling such things only when a sufficient number of individuals make the maximum gift of which they are capable to one central agency and then steadfastly and courageously turn down all other appeals. Since all social workers confront this problem continuously, why shouldn't the Community Chest be handled as a laboratory project by the Department of Sociology? Why should the departments of music, journalism and education be the only ones whose laboratory practice products must be submitted regularly and continually to public scrutiny?—V.N.

Chingho Health Station

Making "War" on Disease

Smallpox vaccination, injections against communicable diseases, supervision of restaurants and regular examination and purification of drinking wells are carried on in the war against disease. School children are taught to hold drives for the killing of flies, cleaning up public streets, and other public health activities.

THE LETTER BOX

For the interest of the readers of the Yenching News we wish to inform you of the following recent publications of the Department of Economics, which may be obtained in the office of the Department of Economics:

(1) Aspects of Rural Reconstruction: by Prof. J. B. Tayler, M. Sc., price twenty cents.

(2) The Oil Pressing Industry in Hopei Province, by Chiao Sunfan, prepared under the direction of Prof. J. B. Tayler, price sixty cents.

(3) A Bibliography of Japanese Studies in Far Eastern Economic Conditions, compiled by Hsiao Wen-an, price fifty cents.

Yours sincerely, Gideon Ch'en

Miss Fischer To Sing at

Ninde Chapel Friday Morning

As she is coming to Yenching Thursday night for a special rehearsal of the Messiah with the Yenta chorus, Miss Ida Fischer, soprano soloist from Peiping, will sing Friday morning in Ninde Chapel. She will sing some of the best known Negro spirituals.

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Tsinghua Hands Yenta Defeats in 3 Sports

**Varsity Team Lose in Soccer,
Basketball, & Tug-of-war;
Girls Win Fast Game**

Yenching men lost all three battles to Tsinghua last Saturday afternoon when the football team was trimmed 2-0, the basketball five swamped 27-15, and the tug-of-war team out-pulled after four minutes of a losing fight. Only the victory of the girl's basketball sextet, who walked over the Tsinghua team 11-4, marked a bright spot in an otherwise gloomy day for Yenching.

Three baskets in succession put Tsinghua's five in the lead soon after the opening whistle. The Yenching team was showing clearly a lack of practice when the half ended Tsinghua 13, Yenching 6. The third quarter came and went, and there was a better chance for Yenching, the period ending 14-12, Tsinghua leading. But before the last quarter had barely started, the Tsinghua players were manufacturing baskets, and Yenching was hopelessly outclassed, the game finishing 27-15.

The football game started more hopefully, Yenching charging Tsinghua's goal time and again. But with the exit from the game of Kuo Chia-li, stocky Yenching full-back, who was badly hurt, Yenching could only play a defensive game with but ten men on the field to Tsinghua's eleven. However, the half ended 0-0.

The second half told a different story. It was but a matter of time when Tsinghua would net a goal. The ball was continually in Yenching's territory. Two Tsinghua goals, and Yenching was out of the race for the football championship.

The tug-of-war battle was Tsinghua's throughout; with the Yenjen battling hard all the way. Tsinghua showed more training, preparation, precision, and won.

Miss Yao Nien-yuan and Miss Fang Chi together scored eight of Yenching's 11 points, just twice the team score of the Tsinghua girls. The Yenching girls are well on their way toward the 5-U girls basketball championship.

Dr. Kin's Daughter Given Medal by Nanking Ministry

Because she carried out faithfully the terms of her mother's will, Mrs. Lu, wife of a Shanghai physician and an adopted daughter of the late Dr. Yamei Kin, has been awarded a medal by the Ministry of Education in recognition of her services to education.

Dr. Kin, who was the first Chinese woman to receive a degree in medicine from an American university, gave her house in Tung Piao Pei Hutung to the University, and also gave \$5000 toward the foundation fund of the Yenching Department of Home Economics.

Journalism Assembly To Be Held Dec. 13

The Second Departmental Assembly of the Department of Journalism will be held at 7:00, Thursday evening December 13 at the President's Residence. Mr. Liang will speak on the subject "As Journalism Looks To Me." All Journalism members are requested to be present. Journalism Club.

Grad Returns from Abroad

Mr. Chen Tsung-jeñ, a graduate of Yenching University, who has just completed a four-year course in chemistry in England, is expected to arrive in Peiping by the end of the month with a group of British pharmacists to study Chinese medicines and medicinal herbs.

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Two midwives under the supervision of Dr. Mary Yang take care of an average of ten deliveries a month, examine pregnant mothers, and direct prenatal and postnatal work. Mothers clubs have been established in five villages, where mothers are taught the proper care of children concerning clothing, feeding, and sleeping. The midwives also demonstrate to old village midwives the proper method of supervising deliveries. This teacher of midwifery is but 20 years of age, but her pupils range from ages 54 to past 80.

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Yenching Frosh Trim T.H. in Basketball, Tug-of-war; Lose 3-1 in Soccer Game

Yenching Freshmen took three victories out of four contests Sunday afternoon when they met Tsinghua first-year students on Warner Field. Yenching won at both men's and women's basketball, and easily outpulled the Tsinghua frosh in a tug-of-war. Tsinghua, however, won a hotly contested football match by a score of 3-1.

The men's basketball game was featured by the flashy shooting of Yenching's Liu Te-tseng, who piled up twenty points to enable the home team to win 28-23.

In the women's game Tsinghua led during the first half, which ended 4-2 in their favor

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